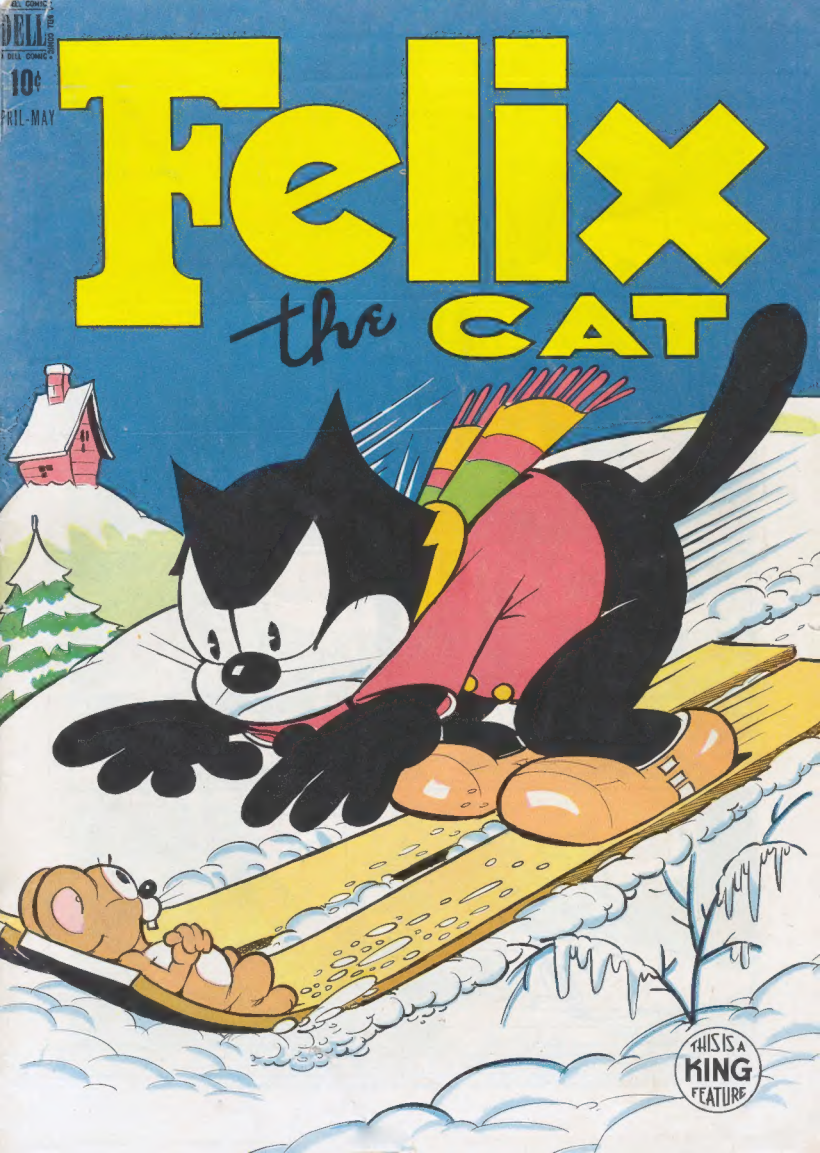
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Felix
IN
FINE
BUSINESS
I FEEL KIND OF LONESOME!
IM TIRED OF BEING A ROLLING STONE!
WISH I HAD A COZY HOME!
LIKE THAT- FOR INSTANCE!
ILL GIVE IT THE ONCE OVER BEFORE I MOVE IN!
IVE GOT TO BE SURE THEYRE NICE PEOPLE
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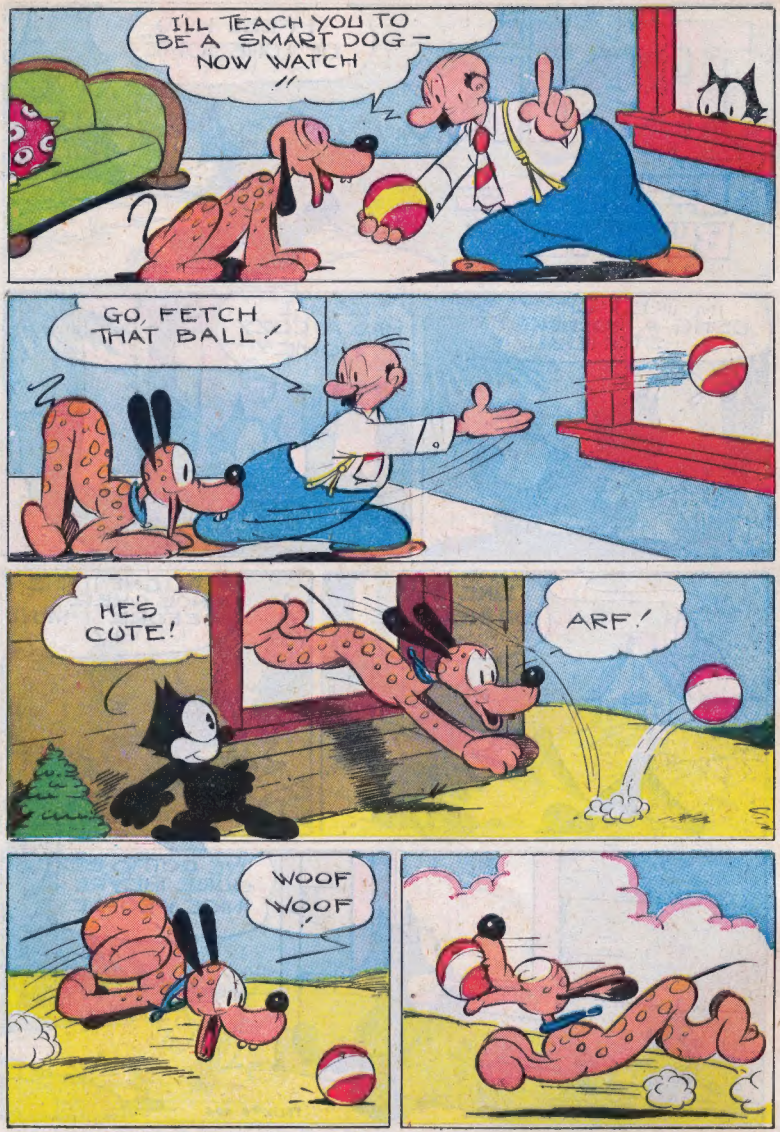
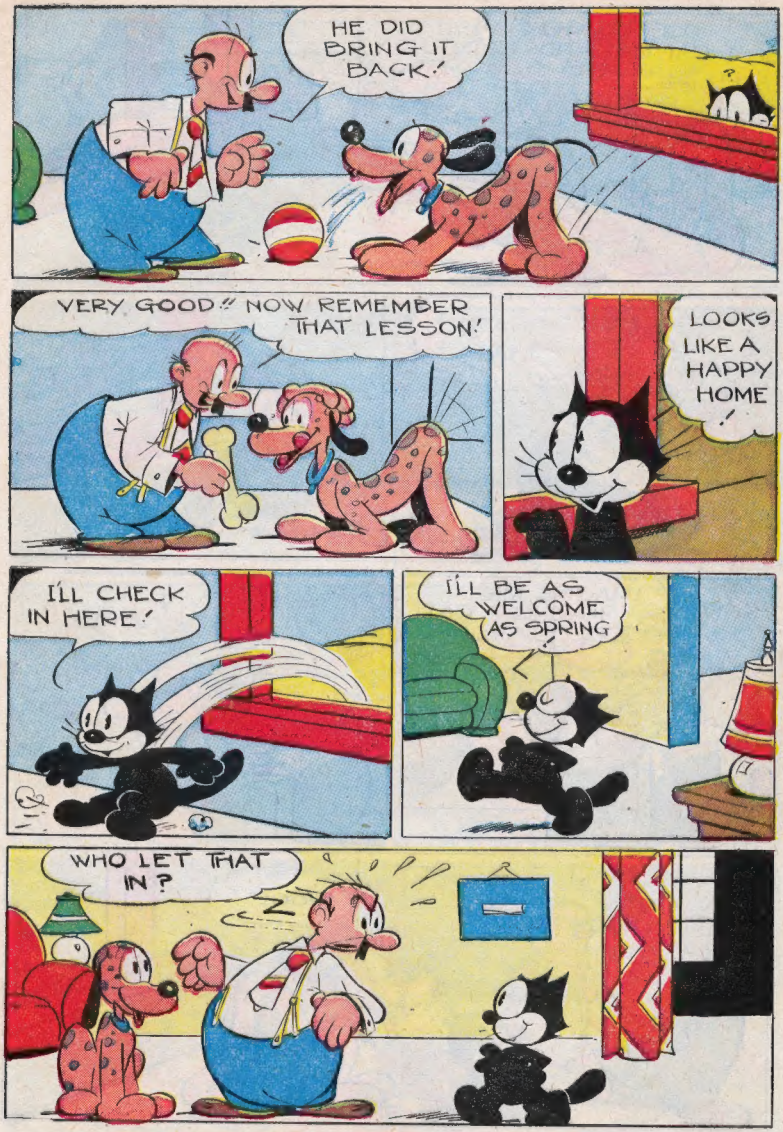
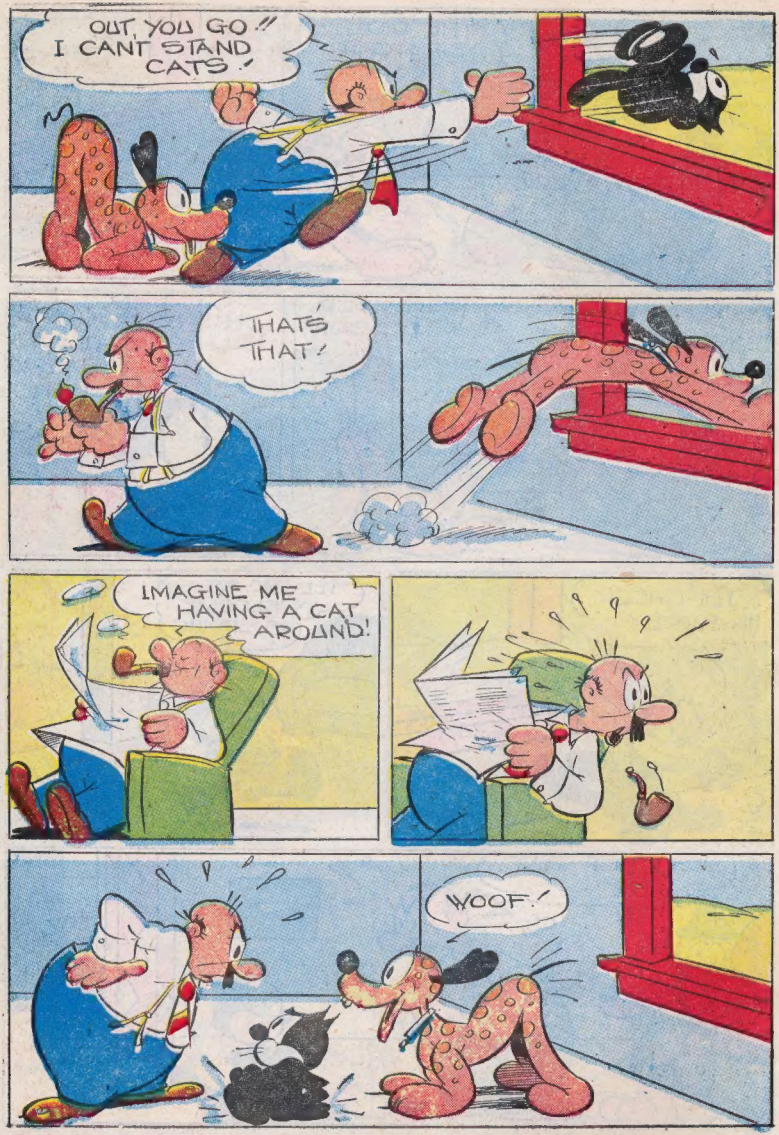
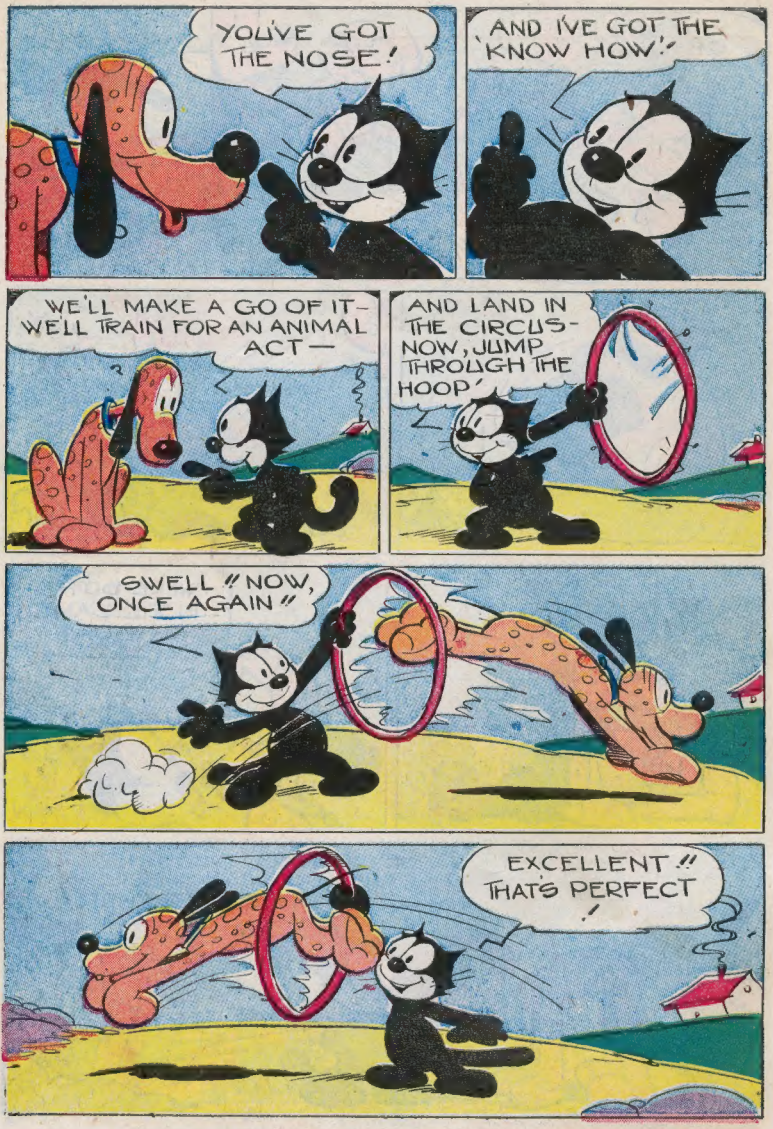
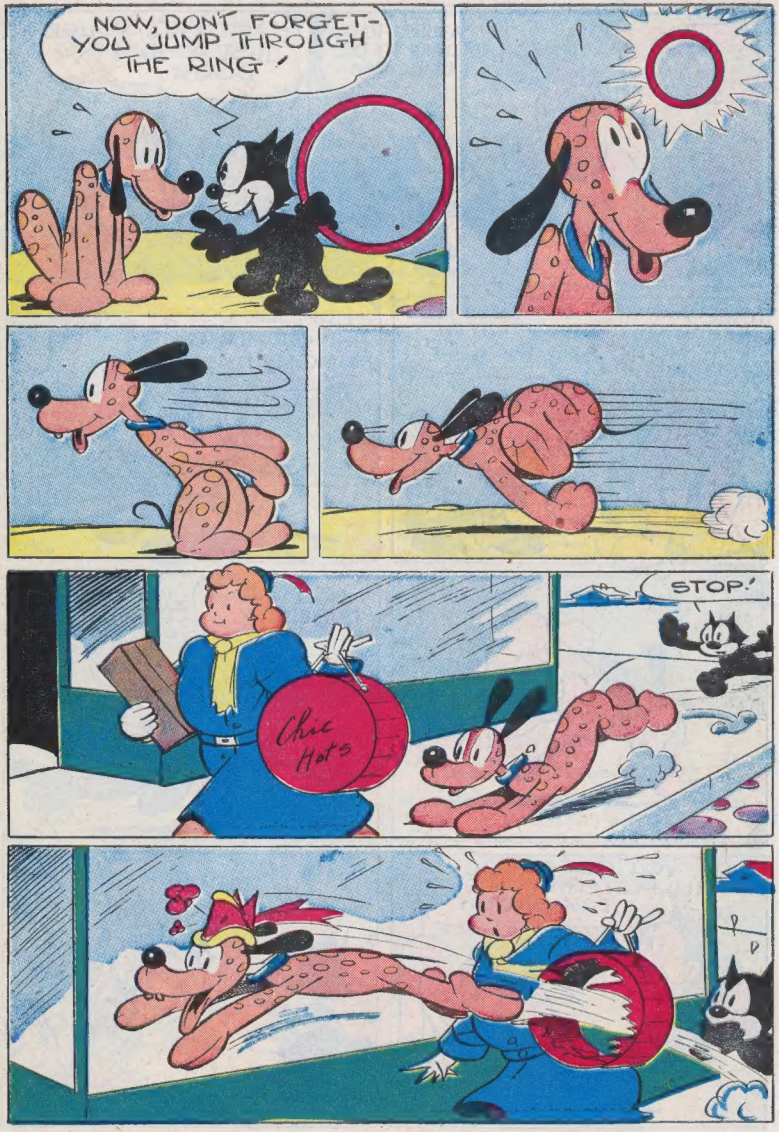

I'LL TEACH YOU TO BE A SMART DOG — NOW WATCH
GO, FETCH THAT BALL!
HE'S CUTE!
ARF!
WOOF WOOF


HE DID BRING IT BACK!
VERY GOOD! NOW REMEMBER THAT LESSON!
LOOKS LIKE A HAPPY HOME!
I'LL CHECK IN HERE!
I'LL BE AS WELCOME AS SPRING
WHO LET THAT IN?


OUT, YOU GO !!
I CANT STAND CATS !
THAT'S THAT !
IMAGINE ME HAVING A CAT AROUND!
WOOF !

NOW, YOU BOTH GET OUT!"
WE'RE BOTH IN THE SAME BOAT!
NEVER MIND! WE DON'T CARE, DO WE? WE'LL STICK TOGETHER!


YOU'VE GOT THE NOSE!
AND I'VE GOT THE 'KNOW HOW!'
WE'LL MAKE A GO OF IT— WE'LL TRAIN FOR AN ANIMAL ACT—
AND LAND IN THE CIRCUS— NOW, JUMP THROUGH THE HOOP!
SWELL!! NOW, ONCE AGAIN!!
EXCELLENT!! THAT'S PERFECT!


NOW, DON'T FORGET- YOU JUMP THROUGH THE RING!
STOP!
Chic Hats

YOU'RE TOO STUPID TO BE A PERFORM-ER!
AFTER ALL, YOU'RE JUST A HUNTING DOG!
AND THAT'S WHAT YOU CAN DO NOW -- GET BUSY WITH THAT NOSE AND PICK UP A TRAIL!
HOPE HE DOES,- I'M GETTING HUNGRY!
ARF, ARF!
SNIFF
HE DID!! YIPEE!! I EAT!
YOU GET HIM OUT - I'LL POP HIM - HOPE IT'S A RABBIT!

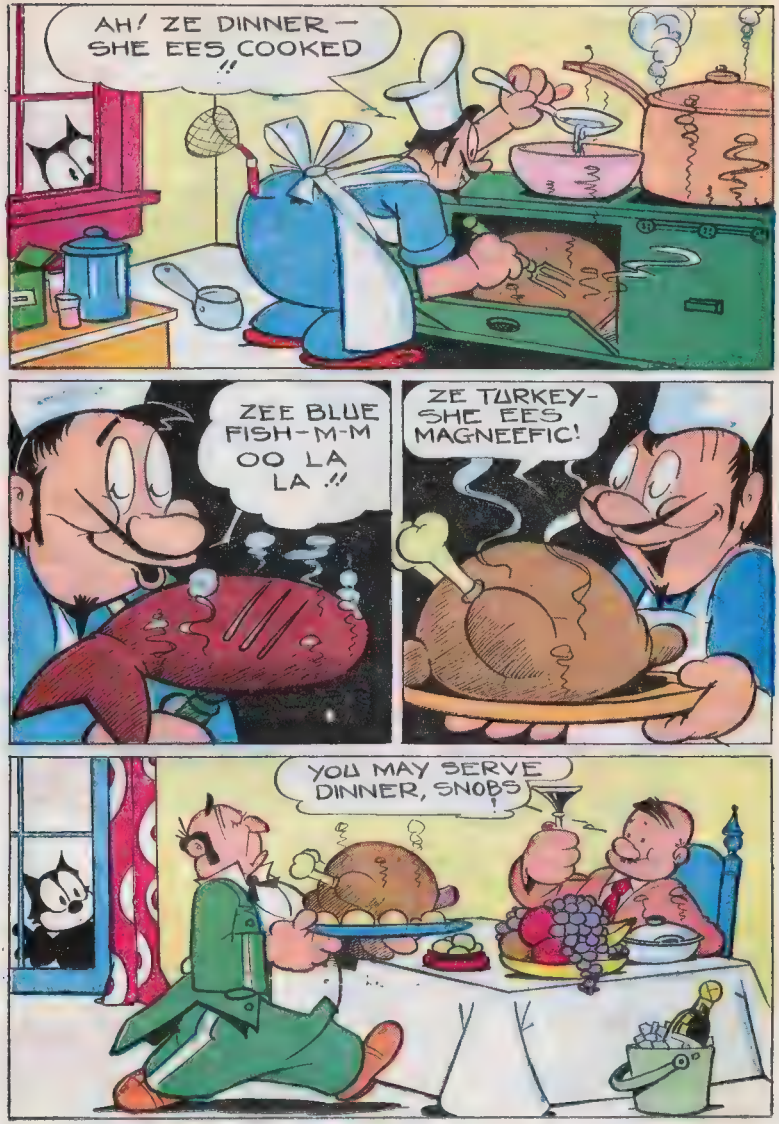
HOW DUMB CAN YOU BE ?
I WANT YOU TO LEAD ME TO GAME!
GAME
HE'S POINTING TO THAT CABIN - MUST BE GAME IN THERE!
I COULD PLAY PINOCHLE ALL DAY!

DOPE!! NOT THAT KIND OF GAME !!
I MEAN SOMETHING TO SHOOT AT!!
ARF ARF!
GOOD! YOU GOT THE IDEA. NOW--POINT! I GOT MY GUN!
RIFLE RANGE

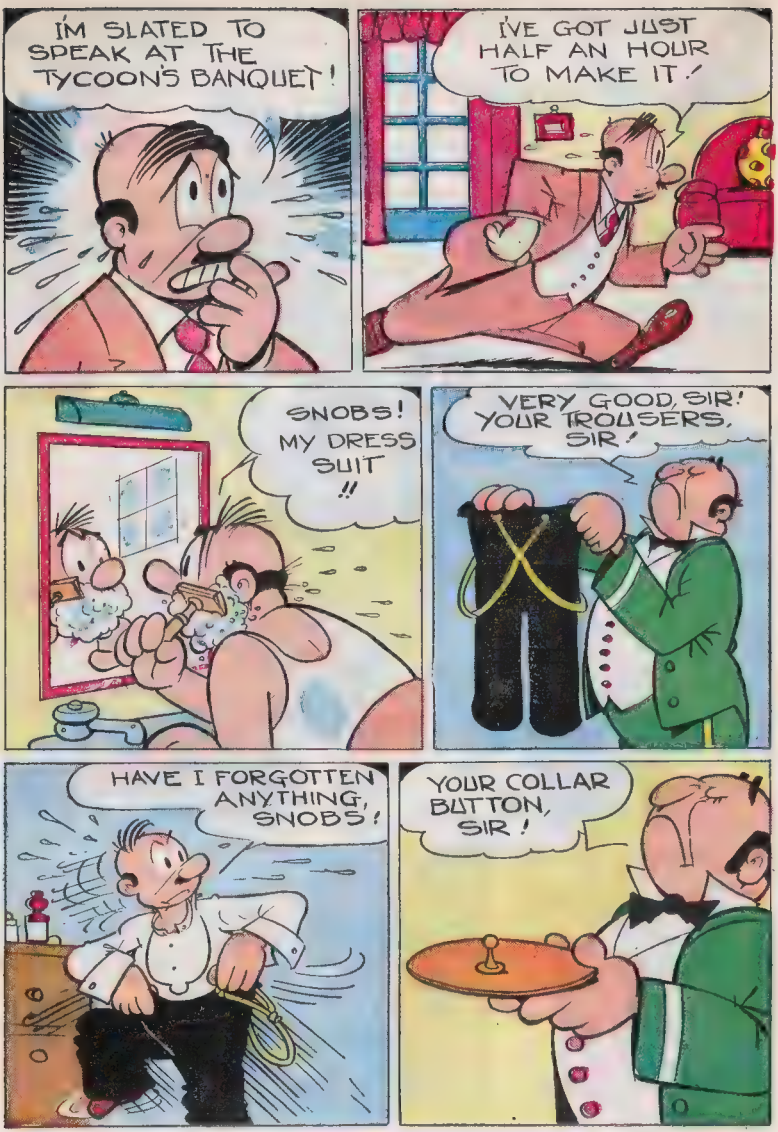
HE'S FUTILE! I GIVE UP!
I'LL LOCATE MY OWN GAME!
OBOY!! LOOK AT ALL THOSE DUCKS
HOW CAN I MISS
HOPE I HIT ONE
I HIT SOMETHING - GO GET IT AND BRING IT BACK TO ME

THAT'S ONE THING HE CAN DO -- HE'S A NATURAL RETRIEVER!
HOPE I BAGGED SOMETHING GOOD!
I HEARD A SHOT- SOMEBODY'S POACHING IN THESE WOODS
SO!!
GOOD OLE HOUND -- HE'S BRINGING BACK —
WOOF
$50.00 FINE FOR HUNTING OUT OF SEASON -

Felix
ON THE BUTTON
THIS IS GETTING IRKSOME!
HOW PATIENT CAN ONE GET?
ITS FUTILE // I'M JUST DOOMED TO GO HUNGRY!
WOW!! LOOK AT ALL THAT FOOD
MEATS
BAKER
THEY SURE ARE WELL STOCKED
THAT'S THE KIND OF HOME I'D LIKE TO BE IN!


AH! ZE DINNER— SHE EES COOKED !!
ZEE BLUE FISH-M-M OO LA LA !!
ZE TURKEY- SHE EES MAGNEEFIC!
YOU MAY SERVE DINNER, SNOBS !

O'BOY!
BOY, WOULD I FIT INTO THAT PICTURE!
MAYBE THEY COULD USE A HOUSE PET!!
THINK I'LL MAKE A BID FOR THE JOB!
I'LL WATCH FOR THE RIGHT MOMENT
LOOKS LIKE IT'S HERE NOW!
GREAT SCOT! I ALMOST FORGOT!


I'M SLATED TO SPEAK AT THE TYCOON'S BANQUET!
I'VE GOT JUST HALF AN HOUR TO MAKE IT!
SNOBS! MY DRESS SUIT !!
VERY GOOD, SIR! YOUR TROUSERS, SIR!
HAVE I FORGOTTEN ANYTHING, SNOBS!
YOUR COLLAR BUTTON, SIR!

DRAT THESE PESKY BUTTONS
GOT IT!
EVERYTHING GOES WRONG WHEN YOU'RE IN A HURRY!
LOOK AT THE FIENDISH THING ROLL!
HERE'S MY CHANCE!

I'LL GET THAT BUTTON FOR HIM!
CAN'T LET IT GET AWAY!
DOWN THE DRAIN!

I MUST INTERCEPT IT!
MY FUTURE DEPENDS ON GETTING IT!
SUCCESS !!
GONE !!
THERE GOES MY CHANCE — DOWN THE SEWER
WHERE'S THAT BUTTON? WHO PUT THE JINX ON ME?
I'D BETTER GET OUT BEFORE I GET BLAMED

EVERYTHING DEPENDS ON MY FINDING IT !!
HAVE YOU FOUND IT, SNOBS ?
I'M AFRAID ITS GONE, SIR
BEGGING YOUR PARDON, SIR - YOU'LL HAVE TO MISS THE BANQUET!
I CAN'T DISAPPOINT 'EM. I'LL BE RUINED SOCIALLY, FINANCIALLY ---
I'D GIVE ANYTHING TO ANYBODY TO GET THAT BUTTON IN TIME!

BACK WHERE I STARTED FROM - GOTTA BE SATISFIED WITH FISH!
AT LAST!
GOSH! THAT WAS QUICK!
THIS WILL DO IN A PINCH.
GUG GUG!
THE BUTTON!!

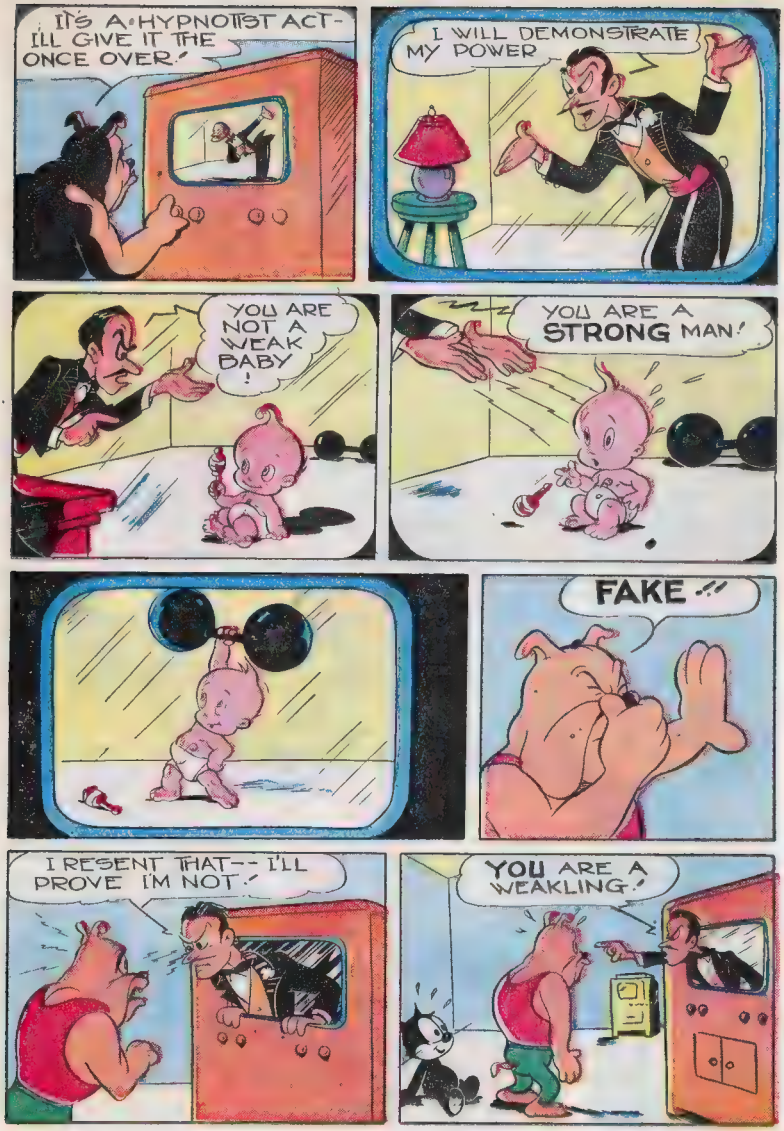
HOPE I'M IN TIME!
THAT'S IT !!
SAVED !!
YOU BROUGHT ME LUCK--YOU'RE MY PET FROM NOW ON!
HE'S HERE TO STAY, SNOBS- I WANT YOU TO TAKE CARE OF HIM!
I MADE IT! I'M IN !!!

WHAT LUCK!! A MANSION AND A BUTLER TO SERVE ME!
M-M-MPH
I'M STARVED! I'LL RING FOR DINNER!
A LITTLE SERVICE - WHERE'S THAT BUTLER?
I REFUSE TO BUTTLE FOR A COMMON ALLEY CAT!
IT'S BENEATH THE DIGNITY OF A SOCIETY BUTLER!
I'LL SCARE THE PEST OUT OF THIS HOUSE!

WHERE'S THAT BUTLER ?
?
I'M GETTING OUT OF HERE!
THEY SHOULDN'T LET A DOG LIKE THAT RUN LOOSE!
GUESS I'LL HELP MYSELF!

Felix
IN
WISE
EYES
TELEVISION DISPLAY INSIDE FREE
AND THERE'S A FIGHT ON!
I WANTED TO SEE THIS!
ONE SIDE!! LET A REAL GUY SEE!
YOU IMPOLITE BULLY--YOURE BLOCKING MY VIEW-
WHO YOU CALLIN' IMPOLITE?

GOSH! LOOK AT DAT SCRAP
DAT'S A REAL ONE
SHUCKS! DA BOUT'S OVER -- I'LL LOOK AT ANUDDER PROGRAM!


IT'S A HYPNOTIST ACT- I'LL GIVE IT THE ONCE OVER!
I WILL DEMONSTRATE MY POWER
YOU ARE NOT A WEAK BABY!
YOU ARE A STRONG MAN!
FAKE...!
I RESENT THAT-- I'LL PROVE I'M NOT!
YOU ARE A WEAKLING!

D-DON'T HIT M-ME !"
HUH ?
HERE, HAVE A CHAIR — ENJOY THE SHOW
THAT HYPNOTIST SURE IS GREAT!
GET PROFESSOR OGLE'S BOOK- "HOW TO HYPNOTIZE" AT YOUR BOOK-STORE!
THAT'S ONE BOOK I MUST GET!
I WOULDN'T BE WITHOUT IT.

I WON'T NEED THIS GUN ANY MORE!
NOR THIS FISHING ROD!
I'LL CASH 'EM IN!
PAWN BROKER
I CAN LET YOU HAVE ONE BUCK ON THIS!
FINE! I'VE GOT THE PRICE OF THAT BOOK!
I SHOULD FIND IT IN THIS BOOK-SHOP!
I'VE GOT IT!
HOW TO HYPNOTIZE
BY
PROF OGLE

LET'S SEE
THE EYE PUTS 'EM TO SLEEP
A SNAP OR SHARP NOISE WILL WAKE 'EM UP
NOW, TO CASH IN
I HOPE IT WORKS
YOU'RE NIBBLING AT MY BAIT
YOU'RE HOOKED
I'VE GOT HIM - AND WITHOUT A HOOK

NOW, FOR STICKS TO START A FIRE TO BROIL HIM!
Z Z Z
CR-R
CRACK
HE'S GONE!
THAT CRACK WOKE HIM UP!

OH, WELL' I'LL HUNT FOR GAME
SOMETHING COMING- HOPE ITS A PHEASANT
STOP.!!
SLEEP
Z-Z-Z
NO LONGER DO I FEAR YOU'
IN FACT-I SNAP MY FINGERS IN CONTEMPT.'
SNAP

WHY DID I SNAP MY FINGERS?
I'LL HYPNOTIZE MYSELF TO ESCAPE HIM!
YOU'RE A BIRD!
TWEET TWEET
TWEET

IT WORKED!
SINCE I NOW AM A BIRD!
I MIGHT AS WELL MIGRATE TO THE SOUTH WHERE IT'S WARM!
HEEZ FUNNY BIRD- I, PANCHO, WEEL BAG HEEM!
WHAT — ? WHERE AM I ??
BANG

IM A CAT AGAIN!
WATER!
I'LL DROWN IF I DON'T ACT QUICK!
YOU'RE A FISH!

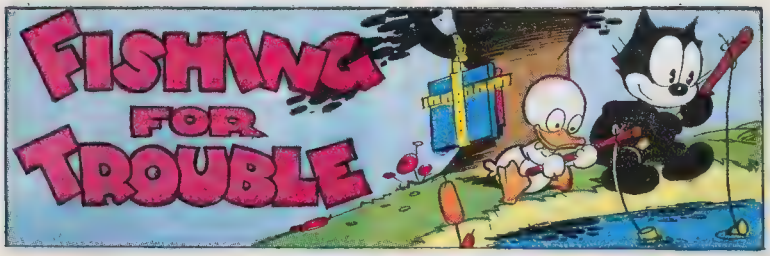
HEEM BEEG CAT FISH
CRACK
THE POLE EEZ BREAK!

WHAT HAPPENED ? I'M A POOR LIL' CAT AGAIN.'
CAT FEESH MUST NOT GET AWAY.'
ARENA
POOR TOREADOR
EL TORO IS TOO FIERCE'

THAT BULL-FIGHTER NEEDS HELP!
LOOK OUT!
HELP!
HALT!
THE CAT WEEL BE KEELED, TOO!
I AM SAVED!
Z-Z
BRAVO
SLEEP!

GEEV FELIX, THE HERO -A BEEG HAND!
CLAP
CLAP
CLAP
CLAP
CLAP
CLAP
WHY DID THEY CLAP -- THAT WOKE HIM UP AGAIN!
I'M IN ONE JAM AFTER ANOTHER - I MUST GET OUT OF THIS!
YOU'RE SAFE AND COZY IN A KING'S PALACE!

WELCOME TO THIS PALACE
I'LL SIGNAL THE BUTLER TO SERVE YOU DINNER
CLAP
WHAT--?? IM BACK AT WHERE I STARTED FROM
I'LL TAKE MY ROD AND GUN BACK



Felix the Cat had just finished washing his face, and was getting ready for school. As he left the house with his books tucked under his arm, he looked around. The day was bright and cheery. Fresh leaves were beginning to appear on trees. Here and there flower buds were forming on fresh-looking plants. As Felix walked along the road on his way to school, he saw the buds and tried to guess what kind of flowers they would be.

"Hi there, Felix—wait for me!" It was Danny Duck who waddled around a hedge.

"Gosh, it's a lovely day," said Felix to Danny Duck as they walked along together. "I sort of hate to have to go to school today."

"That's a good idea!" Danny cried excitedly. "Let's cut through the woods to the Big Brook and go fishing instead!"

"Do you think we dare?" Felix hesitated.

"Oh sure, they won't miss us for just one day," the duck coaxed "It is such a beautiful day that it would be a shame to be cooped up in a schoolroom."

"Well, it's not right, but I'll do it just this once," Felix said, reluctant because he knew that he was doing wrong There was no doubt about it, Felix thought, it was a beautiful day—an exceptionally beautiful day, and he was tempted by the prospect of lazing in the woods with a fishing rod in his hands. The sun was shining brightly and the brilliant blue sky was dotted with fleecy clouds which floated gently in the lazy breeze.

Once they decided, they both headed for the woods before any of their friends could see them. Felix ran quickly while Danny Duck kept up as well as he could with his short little legs.

Felix had lived near the woods for years, and knew his way very well. Before very long, the two chums were walking along familiar paths which they knew would lead them to their favorite fishing spot.

"Here we are!" Felix shouted as the path made a sharp turn. Sure enough, the woods ended abruptly at the bank of the Big Brook which ran near by.

Felix the Cat put his books down on the grassy bank, and indicated to Danny Duck to do the same

"I have two fishing poles hidden behind that old stump," Felix said. "I cover them up with leaves so they can't be seen."

In a few moments Felix had uncovered two bamboo fishing poles, complete with lines and hooks.

"I'll get some worms," Danny Duck said as he armed himself with a sharp stick for digging He waddled over to a clearing where he knew the earth would be rich, and in a short time he came back with enough worms

The naughty pair were busying themselves by baiting their hooks, and soon settled down to the lazy business of fishing, without a thought of school in their heads

As the time passed by, Felix the Cat and Danny Duck really enjoyed themselves They had caught two fish apiece, and they were planning to save them for their supper that night.

"We have enough fish for what we

want," Felix said. "There isn't any use in catching any more than we need, because that would be wasting things."

"I know, let's go swimming!" Danny Duck answered.

"That's a good idea," Felix said as he started to put the fishing poles back in their hiding place.

Danny Duck dipped his foot into the water to see if it was cold or not.

"Gee, Felix, the water is just right!" he shouted joyfully as he jumped from the bank.

"Last one in is a slowpoke!" Felix shouted as he jumped from the bank. Danny Duck had already jumped, and both of them splashed into the water at the same time.

"Golly, this feels good!" Danny Duck said as he lay on his back and paddled with his yellow webbed feet.

"It certainly does," Felix agreed. "I haven't enjoyed a swim like this since last summer."

They both swam around for almost an hour, until they felt so tired that they knew it would be best for them to come out of the water and rest on the bank.

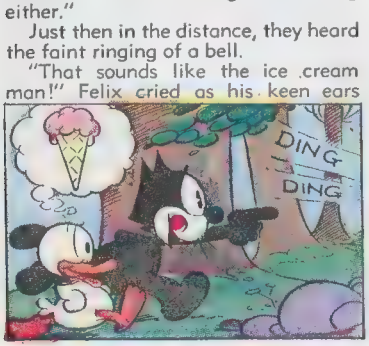
By this time the sun had risen high in the sky, and was beating down upon them warmly as they lay on the sweet-smelling grass to rest and dry out.

"It must be close to noontime," Felix said. "I'm beginning to get hungry."

"Me, too!" Danny Duck answered. "I wouldn't mind eating something either."

Just then in the distance, they heard the faint ringing of a bell.

"That sounds like the ice cream man!" Felix cried as his keen ears



picked up the sound of the ringing.

"Let's follow the sound," Danny suggested, "and we'll be able to get some ice cream for our lunch."

"That would just hit the spot right now," Felix said. "Let's go!"

"That's the ice cream man all right," Felix reassured Danny as they were rapidly finding their way to the edge of the woods where the sound was coming from.

The bell was ringing again, this time very close by, and Felix and Danny could hear the shouting of children.

"He must be selling a lot of ice cream," Felix shouted over his shoulder to Danny Duck. "I hear a lot of children there."

At this moment, Felix and Danny burst from the woods eagerly approaching the sound of the bell, hardly looking where they were going.

Suddenly, the pair stopped in their tracks. A look of dismay was on both of their faces.

"Oh, it's not the ice cream man at all," Felix said, distressed. "It's our schoolteacher, Miss Williams," Danny Duck added unhappily. "She's ringing the bell to call the children back to school after lunch."

"Felix! Danny!—Where have you been all morning?" Miss Williams asked sternly.

"Fishing and swimming," Felix said ashamedly as Danny hung his head.

"Well, you'll just have to stay after school this afternoon," Miss Williams said. "I don't like to make you do that," she said kindly, "but you missed some very important lessons, and you know you shouldn't stay away from school like that."

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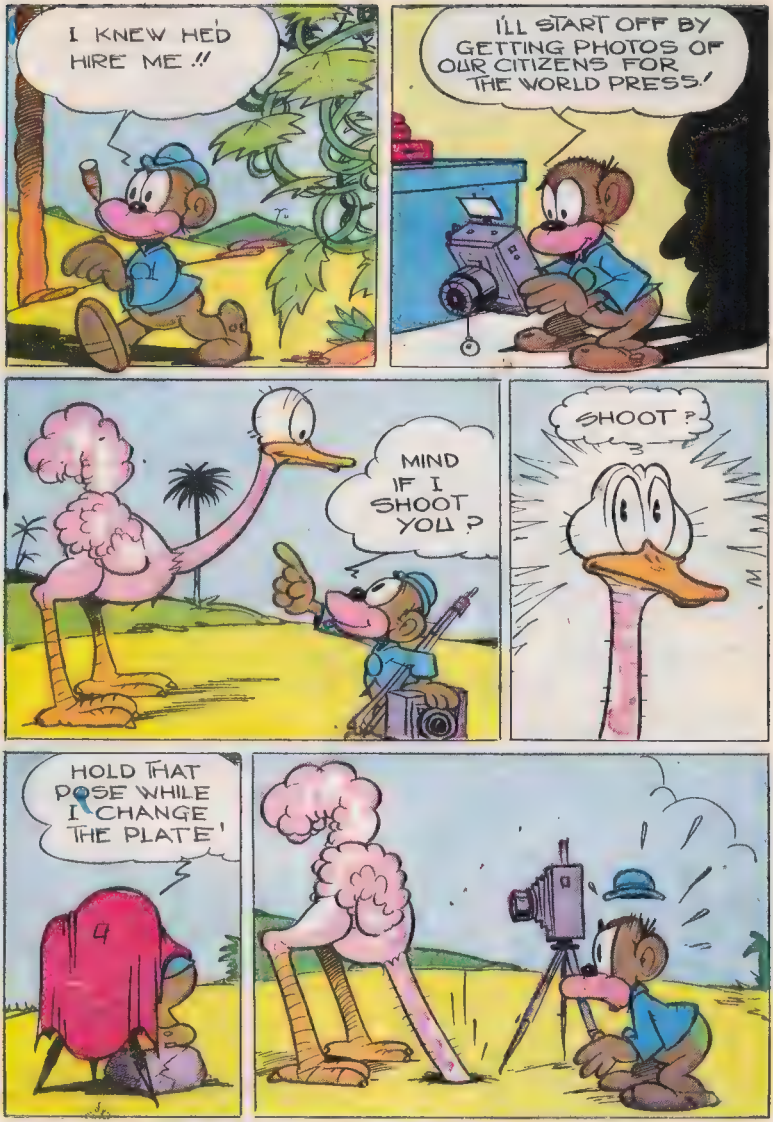
I KNEW HE'D HIRE ME !!
I'LL START OFF BY GETTING PHOTOS OF OUR CITIZENS FOR THE WORLD PRESS.'
MIND IF I SHOOT YOU ?
SHOOT ?
HOLD THAT POSE WHILE I CHANGE THE PLATE'

TAKE OUR PICTURE!
NO GROUPS! ONLY ONE AT A TIME-!
FIRST-I'LL TAKE A PORTRAIT OF KERRY, THE KANGAROO-ALL ALONE--READY!
CLICK!

HELL MAKE A GOOD SUBJECT
WAIT! YOU'VE GOT ONLY MY LEGS!
NOW YOU'VE GOT ONLY MY HEAD!
FUSSY, EH? JUST WHAT DO YOU WANT?
I WANT A FULL LENGTH PICTURE OR NOTHING!
THAT'S BETTER!! I DON'T LIKE TO BE TAKEN IN FRACTIONS!
LUCKY I HAD EXTRA CAMERAS

HOLD IT!!
HOLD IT!
CLICK
O.K! GOT YOU!
CLICK
WELL-GUESS I'VE GOT EVERYBODY!
JUST A MINUTE!
YOU FORGOT ME- THE MAYOR!
?

IT'S QUITE DARK! I'LL HAVE TO TAKE A FLASH-LIGHT SHOT!
READY!
YOU RUINED MY MANE!

Felix
WHAT'S THAT NOISE DOWNSTAIRS ?
SOUNDS LIKE FOOTSTEPS- I'LL INVESTIGATE!
W-WONDER WH-WHAT IT IS !!
HAND OVER YOUR SAVINGS!
YEP SARGE AND I GOT HIM SINGLE-HANDED

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